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L2 ANSWER 1 OF 21 CAPLUS COPYRIGHT 2006 ACS on STN
ACCESSION NUMBER: 2005:172084 CAPLUS
DOCUMENT NUMBER: 142:406214
TITLE: Electrostatic Adsorption of Heme Proteins Alternated
with Polyamidoamine Dendrimers for Layer-by-layer
Assembly of Electroactive Films
AUTHOR(S): Shen, Li; Hu, Naifei
CORPORATE SOURCE: Department of Chemistry, Beijing Normal University,

SOURCE: Beijing, 100875, Peop. Rep. China
 Biomacromolecules (2005), 6(3), 1475-1483
 CODEN: BOMAF6; ISSN: 1525-7797
 PUBLISHER: American Chemical Society
 DOCUMENT TYPE: Journal
 LANGUAGE: English

AB A novel thin film of heme proteins, including Hb, myoglobin (Mb), and catalase (Cat), was successfully assembled layer by layer with polyamidoamine (PAMAM) dendrimers on different solid surfaces. At pH 7.0, protonated PAMAM possesses pos. surface charges, whereas the proteins have net neg. surface charges at pH above their isoelec. points. Thus, layer-by-layer {PAMAM/protein}_n films were assembled with alternate adsorption of oppositely charged PAMAM and proteins from their aqueous solns. mainly by electrostatic interaction. The assembly process was **monitored** by quartz crystal microbalance (QCM), UV-vis spectroscopy, and cyclic voltammetry (CV). The growth of the protein multilayer films was regular and linear, whereas the electroactivity of the films was only extended to a few bilayers. CVs of {PAMAM/protein}_n films showed a pair of well-defined and nearly reversible peaks characteristic of the protein heme Fe(III)/Fe(II) redox couples. Although {PAMAM/Hb}_n and {PAMAM/Mb}_n films showed very similar properties, {PAMAM/Cat}_n films displayed different and unique characters. The substrates with biol. or environmental significance, such as oxygen, **hydrogen peroxide**, trichloroacetic acid, and nitrite, were catalytically reduced at {PAMAM/protein}_n film electrodes, showing the potential applicability of the films as new types of biosensors or bioreactors based on direct electrochem. of the proteins. Both the electrochem. and electrocatalytic activity of {PAMAM/protein}_n films can be tailored precisely by controlling the number of bilayers or the film thickness.

REFERENCE COUNT: 69 THERE ARE 69 CITED REFERENCES AVAILABLE FOR THIS RECORD. ALL CITATIONS AVAILABLE IN THE RE FORMAT

L2 ANSWER 2 OF 21 CAPLUS COPYRIGHT 2006 ACS on STN
 ACCESSION NUMBER: 2005:777 CAPLUS
 DOCUMENT NUMBER: 142:68110
 TITLE: Sensor for sensing a chemical component concentration using an electroactive material
 INVENTOR(S): Centanni, Michael A.
 PATENT ASSIGNEE(S): Steris Inc., USA
 SOURCE: U.S. Pat. Appl. Publ., 9 pp.
 CODEN: USXXCO
 DOCUMENT TYPE: Patent
 LANGUAGE: English
 FAMILY ACC. NUM. COUNT: 1
 PATENT INFORMATION:

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| US 2004262170 | A1 | 20041230 | US 2003-608276 | 20030627 |
| WO 2005001425 | A2 | 20050106 | WO 2004-US18959 | 20040615 |
| WO 2005001425 | A3 | 20050728 | | |
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| US 2005186116 | A1 | 20050825 | US 2005-116574 | 20050428 |

PRIORITY APPLN. INFO.: US 2003-608276 A 20030627

AB An **electroactive** material (e.g., a doped **electroactive polymer**, or an intercalated carbon/graphite fiber) responsive to the concentration of a chemical component is used to sense the concentration of the chemical component inside a chamber. The conductivity, or other elec. property of the electroactive material, varies in response to the exposure to the chemical component.

L2 ANSWER 3 OF 21 CAPLUS COPYRIGHT 2006 ACS on STN

ACCESSION NUMBER: 2003:511583 CAPLUS
DOCUMENT NUMBER: 139:65706
TITLE: Electrode for active oxygen species, and sensor using the electrode
INVENTOR(S): Yuasa, Makoto; Abe, Masahiko; Yamaguchi, Aritomo; Shiozawa, Asako; Ishikawa, Masuhide; Eguchi, Katsuya; Kido, Shigeru
PATENT ASSIGNEE(S): Takebayashi, Hitoshi, Japan
SOURCE: PCT Int. Appl., 57 pp.
CODEN: PIXXD2
DOCUMENT TYPE: Patent
LANGUAGE: Japanese
FAMILY ACC. NUM. COUNT: 1
PATENT INFORMATION:

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| WO 2003054536 | A1 | 20030703 | WO 2002-JP13287 | 20021219 |
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| AU 2002357608 | A1 | 20030709 | AU 2002-357608 | 20021219 |
| EP 1457773 | A1 | 20040915 | EP 2002-805479 | 20021219 |
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| CN 1605026 | A | 20050406 | CN 2002-825411 | 20021219 |
| US 2005077192 | A1 | 20050414 | US 2003-498359 | 20021219 |
| PRIORITY APPLN. INFO.: | | | JP 2001-387899 | A 20011220 |
| | | | WO 2002-JP13287 | W 20021219 |

AB An electrode for active oxygen species is disclosed, which characteristically comprises a **polymer** film of a metal porphyrin complex formed on an **electroconductive** member. This electrode for active oxygen species is capable of **detecting** under either circumstance, in vivo or in vitro, active oxygen species such as superoxide anion radical, **hydrogen peroxide**, or hydroxyl radical ($\bullet\text{OH}$), and other radical active species (e.g., NO, ONOO-), and thereby, can be used for specifying various diseases and for examining the presence of active oxygen species in a food sample or a water sample such as tap water and sewage. Diagrams describing the electrode and **sensor** assembly are given.

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L2 ANSWER 4 OF 21 CAPLUS COPYRIGHT 2006 ACS on STN

ACCESSION NUMBER: 2003:173896 CAPLUS
DOCUMENT NUMBER: 138:207014
TITLE: Methods for producing highly sensitive potentiometric

INVENTOR(S) : sensors
Purvis, Duncan Ross; Leonardova, Olga; Farmakovski,
Dmitri Alexandrovich; Tcherkassov, Vladimir Rurikovich
PATENT ASSIGNEE(S) : Sensor-Tech Limited, UK
SOURCE: PCT Int. Appl., 86 pp.
CODEN: PIXXD2
DOCUMENT TYPE: Patent
LANGUAGE: English
FAMILY ACC. NUM. COUNT: 1
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| CA 2456352 | AA | 20030306 | CA 2002-2456352 | 20020823 |
| EP 1423688 | A1 | 20040602 | EP 2002-755236 | 20020823 |
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| JP 2005501254 | T2 | 20050113 | JP 2003-523987 | 20020823 |
| US 2004182719 | A1 | 20040923 | US 2004-486840 | 20040223 |
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| | | | GB 2001-20674 | A 20010824 |
| | | | GB 2002-2151 | A 20020130 |
| | | | WO 2002-GB3894 | W 20020823 |

AB The invention relates to methods of preparation of highly sensitive, reproducible, long-term stable potentiometric sensors with an **electroconductive polymer** film as a sensing element. The sensors are suitable for medical, biotech., agricultural, and ecol. uses, as well as environmental monitory and food quality assurance, particularly lab testing of biol and environmental fluids performed for the purpose of clin. diagnostics, proteomics, cell anal., environmental and manufacturing monitoring and research.

REFERENCE COUNT: 4 THERE ARE 4 CITED REFERENCES AVAILABLE FOR THIS RECORD. ALL CITATIONS AVAILABLE IN THE RE FORMAT

L2 ANSWER 5 OF 21 CAPLUS COPYRIGHT 2006 ACS on STN
ACCESSION NUMBER: 2000:102023 CAPLUS
DOCUMENT NUMBER: 132:204965
TITLE: Fabrication of an ultramicrosensor for measurement of extracellular myocardial superoxide
AUTHOR(S) : Xue, Jian; Xian, Yuezhong; Ying, Xiangyang; Chen, Junshui; Wang, Lin; Jin, Litong
CORPORATE SOURCE: School of Chemistry & Life Science, East China Normal University, Shanghai, 200062, Peop. Rep. China
SOURCE: Analytica Chimica Acta (2000), 405(1-2), 77-85
CODEN: ACACAM; ISSN: 0003-2670
PUBLISHER: Elsevier Science B.V.
DOCUMENT TYPE: Journal
LANGUAGE: English
AB A novel superoxide (O₂⁻) ultramicrosensor based on copper/platinum microparticles and electropolymd. pyrrole was fabricated for the **measurement** of extracellular myocardial superoxide. The Cu/Pt-PPy modified ultramicrosensors were evaluated, for the first time, as superoxide **sensor**. The amperometric response to superoxide was

monitored at the potential of 0.45 V (vs. SCE) in Hank's balanced salt solution (HBSS). The **sensor** proved were proved to have a high **sensitivity**, selectivity and short response time. The **detection** limit is 24 (DL) of the **sensors** is 24 nmol/l (S/N of 3). The life period (at least 1 mo) of **sensors** is longer than that of enzyme electrodes. The potential interference from some endogenous **electroactive** substances in biol. tissues, such as **hydrogen peroxide** (H₂O₂), uric acid (UA), neurotransmitters and their metabolites, at the concns. higher than those in biol. systems, could be eliminated by further coating the Cu/Pt modified electrode with a **polymer** film. The method was applied to the **measurement** of superoxide production in a biol. relevant model system and in rat myocardial cells (MCs).

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L2 ANSWER 6 OF 21 CAPLUS COPYRIGHT 2006 ACS on STN

ACCESSION NUMBER: 1999:415873 CAPLUS

DOCUMENT NUMBER: 131:77996

TITLE: A disposable immunomagnetic electrochemical sensor for the 2,4-dichlorophenoxyacetic acid herbicide
AUTHOR(S): Limoges, B.; Martre, A. M.; Dequaire, M.; Schollhorn, B.; Degrand, C.

CORPORATE SOURCE: Electrosynthese et Electroanalyse Bioorganique, UMR CNRS 6504, Universite Blaise Pascal de Clermont-Ferrand, Aubiere, 63177, Fr.

SOURCE: Proceedings - Electrochemical Society (1999), 99-5 (New Directions in Electroanalytical Chemistry II), 157-167
CODEN: PESODO; ISSN: 0161-6374

PUBLISHER: Electrochemical Society

DOCUMENT TYPE: Journal

LANGUAGE: English

AB The competitive enzyme immunoassay of the 2,4-D was achieved with a **detection** limit <0.01 ppb by combining the convenient use of immunomagnetic beads with the **sensitive** determination of horseradish peroxidase (HRP) at a Nafion-modified screen-printed electrode (Nafion-SPE). The entire assay took place in a microwell-shaped electrochem. cell. The competitive immunoreaction (30 min) between the analyte and the HRP-analyte conjugate for a limited amount of antibodies-coated magnetic beads was followed by a magnetic separation and a washing step. During the enzyme reaction (30 min), the beads were magnetically localized on the Nafion-SPE, and the **electroactive** cationic product of the reaction between 4-aminoantipyrine and 2-(N-ethyl-m-toluidino)ethanol in the presence of **hydrogen peroxide**, was thus immediately entrapped by the anionic **polymer** film. The electrochem. assay was .apprx.70-fold more **sensitive** than in the case of a com. kit assay (colorimetric **detection**), and it involved 5-fold lower amts. of immunoreagents.

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L2 ANSWER 7 OF 21 CAPLUS COPYRIGHT 2006 ACS on STN

ACCESSION NUMBER: 1998:629721 CAPLUS

DOCUMENT NUMBER: 129:257355

TITLE: Gravure coating systems and magnetic particle-coated antibodies in electrochemical sensors

INVENTOR(S): Cabelli, Michael D.

PATENT ASSIGNEE(S): Ohmicron Medical Diagnostics, Inc., USA

SOURCE: U.S., 39 pp., Cont.-in-part of U. S. Ser. 372,515, abandoned.

CODEN: USXXAM

DOCUMENT TYPE: Patent

LANGUAGE: English

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PATENT INFORMATION:

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| US 5814376 | A | 19980929 | US 1995-488133 | 19950607 |
| WO 9621521 | A1 | 19960718 | WO 1996-US308 | 19960111 |

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PRIORITY APPLN. INFO.:

US 1995-372515 B2 19950113

US 1995-488133 A 19950607

US 1995-514765 A 19950814

AB An aspect of this invention is a continuous gravure coating process for forming a film of **electroconductive polymer** on the surface of a solid substrate. This process consists of (1) creating a solution comprising an **electroconductive polymer** dissolved in an organic solvent, (2) absorbing said solution directly onto the gravure surface of a cylinder, (3) transferring said solution from the gravure surface of the cylinder to a substrate surface, and (4) evaporating the organic solvent from the solution transferred to the substrate surface so as to leave a film of the **electroconductive polymer** on the substrate surface. An addnl. aspect of the invention involves **detecting** the presence of a specific analyte in a sample using an assay format in which magnetic components, such as magnetic particles with antibodies on their surfaces, provide an analyte-binding solid phase and the signal is generated by a dopant that changes the conductivity of an **electroconductive polymer** coating on an electrode. A related aspect of the invention is the use of a magnetic device comprised of an array of magnetic pole-pieces of high relative permeability alternating with appropriately oriented magnetic structural elements to provide a focussed magnetic field that will attract the magnetic components used in an assay to the surface of a receptacle, such as an electroconductive cell. The invention is illustrated by analyzing atrazine and using cacodylate to generate a triiodide dopant from **hydrogen peroxide**.

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L2 ANSWER 8 OF 21 CAPLUS COPYRIGHT 2006 ACS on STN

ACCESSION NUMBER: 1996:524256 CAPLUS

DOCUMENT NUMBER: 125:162737

TITLE: Method for making electrochemical sensors and biosensors having a polymer modified surface

INVENTOR(S): Yacynych, Alexander

PATENT ASSIGNEE(S): USA

SOURCE: U.S., 41 pp., Cont.-in-part of U.S. 5,286,364.

CODEN: USXXAM

DOCUMENT TYPE: Patent

LANGUAGE: English

FAMILY ACC. NUM. COUNT: 2

PATENT INFORMATION:

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| US 5286364 | A | 19940215 | US 1991-677384 | 19910329 |

PRIORITY APPLN. INFO.:

US 1987-59706 B1 19870608

US 1989-456075 B1 19891220

US 1991-677384 A2 19910329

AB A method for making a sensing element for use in a sensor or biosensor that amperometrically measures the concentration of an analyte in a liquid, includes the following sequential steps: (a) obtaining an electrode; (b) immersing the electrode in a solution of monomer that is capable of being electropolymd. into an elec. insulating **polymer**; (c) flowing an elec. current from a cathode through the solution to the electrode at a

voltage and amperage sufficient to cause the monomer to polymerize on the surface of the electrode, thereby yielding an electrode coated with an adherent layer of elec. insulating **polymer**; and (d) impregnating the polymeric coating on the surface with a sensing agent that is capable, when contacted by a specific analyte in a chemical or biol. liquid, of generating an **electroactive** mol. that can be detected amperometrically.

L2 ANSWER 9 OF 21 CAPLUS COPYRIGHT 2006 ACS on STN

ACCESSION NUMBER: 1995:736060 CAPLUS

DOCUMENT NUMBER: 123:192783

TITLE: A conductimetric H₂O₂ sensitive **electroconductive polymer** transducer for development of oxidoreductase enzyme biosensors and oxidoreductase labeled immunosensors

AUTHOR(S): Guiseppi-Elie, A.; Wilson, A. M.; Linden, C. L.; Pearce, F. J.; Wiesmann, W. P.; Glick, D. L.

CORPORATE SOURCE: AAI-ABTECH, Yardley, PA, 19067, USA

SOURCE: Polymeric Materials Science and Engineering (1994), 71, 651-3

CODEN: PMSEDG; ISSN: 0743-0515

PUBLISHER: American Chemical Society

DOCUMENT TYPE: Journal

LANGUAGE: English

AB A PPy-based conductimetric transducer that is sensitive to H₂O₂ can readily and reliably determine H₂O₂ over the range 100 μ M - 600 μ M. These transducers are readily fabricated using available interdigitated microsensor electrode and electropolymd. polypyrrole thin film.

L2 ANSWER 10 OF 21 CAPLUS COPYRIGHT 2006 ACS on STN

ACCESSION NUMBER: 1995:672392 CAPLUS

DOCUMENT NUMBER: 123:309646

TITLE: **Electroconductive polymer** thin films with internal bioactive moieties for biosensor applications

AUTHOR(S): Guiseppi-Elie, A.; Wilson, A. M.

CORPORATE SOURCE: Research and Development Department, AAI-ABTECH, Yardley, PA, 19067, USA

SOURCE: Polymeric Materials Science and Engineering (1995), 72, 404-5

CODEN: PMSEDG; ISSN: 0743-0515

PUBLISHER: American Chemical Society

DOCUMENT TYPE: Journal

LANGUAGE: English

AB A general purpose H₂O₂-sensitive, conductometric transducer makes it possible to develop a wide range of oxidoreductase enzyme biosensors such as those based on glucose oxidase. A polypyrrole-based, conductometric biotransducer that is sensitive to H₂O₂ can be configured into an immunosensor by conferring the transducer with the specificity of biotin and exploiting strong biotin-streptavidin binding in various bioassays. Methods and apparatus are discussed for the development of biospecific oxidoreductase enzyme biosensors and for the fabrication of oxidoreductase-labeled immunosensors.

L2 ANSWER 11 OF 21 CAPLUS COPYRIGHT 2006 ACS on STN

ACCESSION NUMBER: 1995:289382 CAPLUS

DOCUMENT NUMBER: 122:50369

TITLE: A biosensor for L-amino acids using polytyramine for enzyme immobilization

AUTHOR(S): Copper, Julia C.; Schubert, Florian

CORPORATE SOURCE: Physikalisch-Technische Bundesanstalt, Berlin, D-10587, Germany

SOURCE: Electroanalysis (1994), 6(11/12), 957-61

CODEN: ELANEU; ISSN: 1040-0397

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DOCUMENT TYPE: Journal
LANGUAGE: English

AB Electrodeposition of polytyramine is demonstrated to be a simple and convenient procedure for electrode modification, generating amine groups to which L-amino acid oxidase can be covalently bound. An L-amino acid oxidase (L-AAOD)-polytyramine electrode can be used for **detection** of L-amino acids, via the current due to oxidation of enzymically produced **hydrogen peroxide**. The calibration graph of the **sensor** for phenylalanine is linear up to 1.4 mM with a lower limit of **detection** of 0.07 mM. The useful **measuring** range for leucin is between 0.07 and 3 mM. The enzyme-polytyramine electrodes are stable for more than 1 mo. The **polymer** coating affords some protection of the electrode from direct (nonenzymic) oxidation of **electroactive** amino acids, which may otherwise cause electrode fouling, although at present, the **polymer** selectivity is insufficient to prevent errors in estimation of analyte concentration

L2 ANSWER 12 OF 21 CAPLUS COPYRIGHT 2006 ACS on STN

ACCESSION NUMBER: 1994:265292 CAPLUS
DOCUMENT NUMBER: 120:265292
TITLE: Electrochemical biosensor with electrically insulating polymer-modified sensing surface
INVENTOR(S): Yacynych, Alexander M.; Piznik, Sylvia S.; Reynolds, Eugene R.; Geise, Robert J.
PATENT ASSIGNEE(S): Rutgers University, USA
SOURCE: U.S., 38 pp. Cont.-in-part of U.S. Ser. No. 456,075.
CODEN: USXXAM
DOCUMENT TYPE: Patent
LANGUAGE: English
FAMILY ACC. NUM. COUNT: 2
PATENT INFORMATION:

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| US 5286364 | A | 19940215 | US 1991-677384 | 19910329 |
| US 5540828 | A | 19960730 | US 1994-196838 | 19940215 |
| PRIORITY APPLN. INFO.: | | | US 1987-59706 | B1 19870608 |
| | | | US 1989-456075 | A2 19891220 |
| | | | US 1991-677384 | A2 19910329 |

AB An electrode for a biosensor (e.g. a glucose biosensor) having a layer of an elec. insulating polymer formed in situ on its operating surface by electropolymerization is disclosed. E.g., a diaminobenzene and a dihydroxybenzene (such as 1,3-diaminobenzene and resorcinol, resp.) are copolymerized on the electrode's surface by immersing the electrode in a circulating dilute solution of the monomers in deaerated phosphate buffer, and applying a small, continuously cycling voltage between that electrode and another electrode (e.g. 0.00 - 0.80 V) until current flow between the electrodes decreases to a min. Because the polymer is elec. insulating, polymerization ceases while the polymer layer is still very thin (e.g. 10 nm). An analyte-**sensing** agent, e.g. immobilized glucose oxidase, is imbedded in the polymer, but with a number of its analyte recognition sites unblocked. The **polymer** layer shields the electrode surface from interferences and fouling agents such as uric acid and proteins, but it is sufficiently porous to permit smaller **electroactive** mols. (e.g. **hydrogen peroxide**), generated through contact of the enzyme with the analyte mols., to diffuse through to the electrode surface. Preferably, a ferrocene compound (e.g. α -hydroxyethylferrocene or 1,1'-dimethylferrocene), which functions as an electron mediator, is applied to the polymer film and held there by adsorption. Determination of glucose in blood serum using an immobilized enzyme biosensor of the invention is described.

L2 ANSWER 13 OF 21 CAPLUS COPYRIGHT 2006 ACS on STN

ACCESSION NUMBER: 1994:72611 CAPLUS

DOCUMENT NUMBER: 120:72611

TITLE: A glucose sensor based on poly-1,2-diaminobenzene-modified platinized glassy carbon electrode

AUTHOR(S): Ji, Xuefeng; Zhang, Yonghua

CORPORATE SOURCE: Changchun Inst. Appl. Chem., Chin. Acad. Sci., Changchun, 130022, Peop. Rep. China

SOURCE: Yingyong Huaxue (1993), 10(2), 97-8

CODEN: YIHUED; ISSN: 1000-0518

DOCUMENT TYPE: Journal

LANGUAGE: Chinese

AB A platinized glassy carbon electrode (GCE), electropolymd. with 1,2-diaminobenzene and immobilized with glucose oxidase (GODx), is used in the construction of a **sensor** for the determination of glucose. The platinum coating provides an increased current response to the oxidation of **hydrogen peroxide** as compared with a bare GCE. The permselectivity of 1,2-diaminobenzene **polymer** can drastically reduce the effects of **electroactive** interferents, such as ascorbic acid and uric acid, and prevent high mol. weight species from fouling on the electrode surface. The **sensor** retains the advantages of conventional GODX electrode such as high response, wide linear range, fast response and has high selectivity and reproducibility.

L2 ANSWER 14 OF 21 CAPLUS COPYRIGHT 2006 ACS on STN

ACCESSION NUMBER: 1993:490387 CAPLUS

DOCUMENT NUMBER: 119:90387

TITLE: Selectivity of conducting polymer electrodes and their application in flow injection analysis of amino acids

AUTHOR(S): Cooper, J. C.; Haemmerle, M.; Schuhmann, W.; Schmidt, H. L.

CORPORATE SOURCE: Lehrstuhl Allg. Chem. Biochem., Tech. Univ. Munchen, Freising-Weihenstephan, (W)-8050, Germany

SOURCE: Biosensors & Bioelectronics (1993); 8(1), 65-74

CODEN: BBIOE4; ISSN: 0956-5663

DOCUMENT TYPE: Journal

LANGUAGE: English

AB The size-exclusion properties of conducting polymer modified electrodes depend on the polymer morphol. and thickness. By controlling the polymerization

conditions, polymer modified electrodes can be produced that prevent access of certain small redox mols. to the electrode surface, whilst permitting oxidation of anal. relevant **hydrogen peroxide** to take place. Such polymer electrodes find application in amperometric **detection** of amino acids. Certain amino acids are electroactive and are oxidized directly on the electrode surface at the potential required for **measurements**. Polymer modification of the electrode enables direct amino acid oxidation, and associated electrode fouling effects, to be suppressed. The size exclusion properties of polyaniline and polypyrrole were compared by investigating oxidation of **hydrogen peroxide** and **electroactive** amino acids at such **polymer** modified electrodes. Polyaniline was found to be more effective than polypyrrole at suppressing direct amino acid oxidation. A polyaniline electrode, which permitted oxidation of **hydrogen peroxide** but prevented direct amino acid oxidation, was used together with L-amino acid oxidase immobilized on an enzyme column for **measurement** of electroactive amino acids. Whereas the response at a bare platinum electrode decreased significantly during the **measurement**, the response of a 700 mC cm⁻² polyaniline electrode remained almost constant, indicating that electrode fouling was practically eliminated.

L2 ANSWER 15 OF 21 CAPLUS COPYRIGHT 2006 ACS on STN

ACCESSION NUMBER: 1993:404433 CAPLUS

DOCUMENT NUMBER: 119:4433
 TITLE: Analytical method for chemical and biosensor devices
 formed from **electroactive polymer**
 thin films
 INVENTOR(S): Guiseppi-Elie, Anthony
 PATENT ASSIGNEE(S): Allage Associates, Inc., USA
 SOURCE: PCT Int. Appl., 46 pp.
 CODEN: PIXXD2
 DOCUMENT TYPE: Patent
 LANGUAGE: English
 FAMILY ACC. NUM. COUNT: 4
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| RW: AT, BE, CH, DE, DK, ES, FR, GB, GR, IE, IT, LU, MC, NL, SE | | | | |
| US 5312762 | A | 19940517 | US 1991-760450 | 19910913 |
| PRIORITY APPLN. INFO.: | | | US 1991-760450 | A 19910913 |
| | | | US 1989-322670 | B2 19890313 |

AB An anal. methodol. is disclosed for the interrogation, capture, and anal. of the chemical and biosensor responses of chemoresistive chemical and biosensor devices based on chemical modified and derivatized **electroactive polymer** films. The principle of operation and the details of performance of this anal. method, when applied to chemical and biosensor devices based on electroactive polyaniline and polypyrrole, are also disclosed. Several chemoresistive chemical and biosensor devices based on electroactive polypyrrole and polyaniline are similarly disclosed. Chemoresistive chemical and biosensor devices are described in which transducer-active polyaniline and polypyrrole films are fabricated on Interdigitated Microsensor Electrode (IME) devices. Biospecific chemoresistive response for a glucose biosensor using electroactive polypyrrole and glucose oxidase is described; a calibration plot for 0.1-20.0 mg glucose/mL is included.

L2 ANSWER 16 OF 21 COMPENDEX COPYRIGHT 2006 EEI on STN

ACCESSION NUMBER: 2005(38):9265 COMPENDEX
 TITLE: Layer-by-layer self-assembled multilayer films of carbon nanotubes and platinum nanoparticles with polyelectrolyte for the fabrication of biosensors.
 AUTHOR: Yang, Minghui (Chemistry and Chemical Engineering College State Key Laboratory of Chemo/Biosensing and Chemometrics Hunan University, Hunan, Changsha 410082, China); Yang, Yu; Yang, Haifeng; Shen, Guoli; Yu, Ruqin
 SOURCE: Biomaterials v 27 n 2 January 2006 2006.p 246-255
 CODEN: BIMADU ISSN: 0142-9612
 PUBLICATION YEAR: 2006
 DOCUMENT TYPE: Journal
 TREATMENT CODE: Experimental
 LANGUAGE: English

AN 2005(38):9265 COMPENDEX

AB Platinum nanoparticle-doped chitosan (CHIT) solution can be easily prepared by treating the CHIT solution with aqueous H₂PtCl₆ solution followed by chemical reduction of Pt(IV) with NaBH₄. Multiwalled carbon nanotubes (MWCNT) are then dispersed in the nanoparticle-doped solution. The resulting Pt-CNT-CHIT material brings new capabilities for electrochemical devices by using the synergistic action of Pt nanoparticles and CNT. Positively charged Pt-CNT-CHIT solution and negatively charged poly(sodium-p-styrenesulfonate) salt (PSS) have been employed to fabricate stable ultrathin multilayer films on gold electrode and quartz glass slides in a layer-by-layer fashion. Cyclic voltammetric

and UV-vis adsorption spectroscopy confirms the consecutive growth of the multilayer films. The modified gold electrode allows low-potential **detection of hydrogen peroxide** with high **sensitivity** and fast response time. With the immobilization of cholesterol oxidase onto the electrode surface using glutaric dialdehyde, a biosensor that responds **sensitively** to cholesterol has been constructed. In pH 6.98 phosphate buffer, almost interference free determination of cholesterol has been realized at 0.1 V vs. SCE with a linear range from 0.01 to 3 mM and response time < 30 s. With the immobilization of another cholesterol esterase enzyme layer, the biosensor was used to determine total cholesterol in serum samples with satisfactory results. \$CPY 2005 Elsevier Ltd. All rights reserved. 31 Refs.

L2 ANSWER 17 OF 21 COMPENDEX COPYRIGHT 2006 EEI on STN

ACCESSION NUMBER: 2005(22):4025 COMPENDEX

TITLE: Electroanalytical chemistry with carbon film electrodes and micro and nano-structured carbon film-based electrodes.

AUTHOR: Niwa, Osamu (National Institute of Advanced Industrial Science and Technology Central 6, Tsukuba, Ibaraki 305-8566, Japan)

SOURCE: Bulletin of the Chemical Society of Japan v 78 n 4 Apr 15 2005 2005.p 555-571

CODEN: BCSJA8 ISSN: 0009-2673

PUBLICATION YEAR: 2005

DOCUMENT TYPE: Journal

TREATMENT CODE: Experimental

LANGUAGE: English

AN 2005(22):4025 COMPENDEX

AB The recent development of electroanalysis using carbon film electrodes and micro and nano-structured carbon film based electrodes is reviewed. Graphite-like carbon film was synthesized by various methods such as thermal chemical vapor deposition and the thermolysis of organic **polymers**. Highly stable diamond film electrodes with a wide potential window have been synthesized by using the plasma CVD process and then employed for electroanalysis. A carbon film consisting of electron cyclotron resonance (ECR) sputter-deposited carbon films containing a large portion of sp³ bonds was introduced. The film makes it possible to **detect** analytes with higher oxidation potential or **electroactive** species that foul the electrode surface after oxidation. ECR carbon film can be deposited at low temperature and is conductive without doping. Graphite-like carbon films have been formed in order to construct various microelectrodes and microarray electrodes by using photolithography and dry etching methods to meet the requirements for improving the **detection** limit and for miniaturizing electrochemical **detectors** for small volume samples. For example, carbon film fabricated into an interdigitated array (IDA) electrode has a very low **detection** limit for biochemicals such as catecholamines when used as an electrochemical **detector** for high-performance liquid chromatography (HPLC) and capillary electrophoresis (CE). In contrast, composite carbon films containing various metal nanoparticles can be used for many analytes, including **hydrogen peroxide** and sugars. The films are deposited by the RF co-sputtering of metal and carbon. This is unlike other preparation methods such as the thermolysis of a **polymer-metal** complex or the electroplating of metal particles onto carbon film. The obtained carbon film contains 2-5 nm metal particles such as Pt, Ni, Cu, and Ir. The highly **sensitive** and extremely stable **detection of hydrogen peroxide**, which is known to be the product of various oxidase enzymatic reactions, was achieved with sputter-deposited carbon film in which Pt nano-particles were dispersed. In contrast, carbon films containing dispersed Ni and Cu nanoparticles provide a high electrocatalytic current for sugars such as glucose and lactose in alkaline solution. By using the film as a **detection** electrode

for HPLC, one can obtain a lower **detection** limit for several sugars than when using bulk metal electrodes. \$CPY 2005 The Chemical Society of Japan. 133 Refs.

L2 ANSWER 18 OF 21 COMPENDEX COPYRIGHT 2006 EEI on STN

ACCESSION NUMBER: 2000(40):3864 COMPENDEX

TITLE: Fabrication and characterization of disposable type lactate oxidase **sensors** for dairy products and clinical analysis.

AUTHOR: Patel, N.G. (Inst fuer Chemo-und Biosensorik (JCB), Muenster, Ger); Erlenkoetter, A.; Cammann, K.; Chemnitz, G.-C.

SOURCE: Sensors and Actuators, B: Chemical v 67 n 1 Aug 2000.p 134-141

CODEN: SABCEB ISSN: 0925-4005

PUBLICATION YEAR: 2000

DOCUMENT TYPE: Journal

TREATMENT CODE: Application; General Review

LANGUAGE: English

AN 2000(40):3864 COMPENDEX

AB Disposable transducers having a working electrode made of a **polymer** disk sputter-coated with platinum, a screen-printed graphite basal track and an aluminum foil as a contact pad were fabricated for the development of L-lactate oxidase biosensors. Uncoated electrodes were characterized by cyclic voltammetry. A mixture of lactate oxidase with polyethyleneimine (PEI) and poly(carbamoyl)sulphonate (PCS) hydrogel was used for enzyme immobilization onto the platinum disk of the transducers. A two-electrode configuration set up in an amperometric mode was used to **measure** the current generated due to the enzymatically generated **hydrogen peroxide**. The **sensors** capable of **sensitive** L-lactate determination were fabricated with different settings of Nafion layers to exclude **electroactive** interferences. Lactate oxidase **sensors** were characterized with respect to linear range, **sensitivity**, response time and recovery time. The effects of ascorbic acid and temperature on the **sensor** performance were investigated. The continuous operation and the stability of **sensors** were also evaluated. The performance of **sensors** coated with larger numbers of small amounts of Nafion was found to be more advantageous than that of **sensors** coated with fewer numbers of larger amounts of Nafion. The **sensors** were also tested with diluted dairy products and human whole blood and serum. Good agreement was found between the results obtained by the newly developed disposable **sensors** and other well established analytical methods. (Author abstract) 31 Refs.

L2 ANSWER 19 OF 21 COMPENDEX COPYRIGHT 2006 EEI on STN

ACCESSION NUMBER: 1997(2):2142 COMPENDEX

TITLE: Platinization of shapable **electroconductive polymer** film for an improved glucose **sensor**.

AUTHOR: Faruque Khan, Golam (Nat'l Univ of Singapore, Singapore, Singapore); Wernet, Wolfgang

SOURCE: Journal of the Electrochemical Society v 143 n 10 Oct 1996.p 3336-3342

CODEN: JESQAN ISSN: 0013-4651

PUBLICATION YEAR: 1996

DOCUMENT TYPE: Journal

TREATMENT CODE: Experimental

LANGUAGE: English

AN 1997(2):2142 COMPENDEX

AB This paper describes a novel electrode material for the preparation of a first generation amperometric biosensor. The material consists of a flexible conductive polymer film of polypyrrole doped with polyanions and a layer of microporous Pt black, prepared electrochemically on the polymer

film. **Sensors** fabricated with this material produce a comparatively higher H₂O₂ oxidation current at a lower applied potential. Glucose **sensors** were prepared by adsorbing glucose oxidase at the porous Pt black structure, covering with gelatin, and finally cross-linking with glutaraldehyde at dry condition. The developed **sensors** showed significantly improved performance over similar reported **sensor** systems. The performance of the glucose **sensor** was evaluated by a specially designed flow injection analysis (FIA) system. The **sensors** were continuously polarized at 25 degree C and glucose samples were automatically injected at 30 min intervals. The **sensors** worked at 0.3 to 0.4 V and produced a huge current response (greater than 1 mA/cm²) with a wide linear range of **detection** (0 to 100 mM). The system effectively recycles oxygen, thus, the response current was not affected by a variation of oxygen concentration of the buffer. The interference of ascorbic acid, uric acid, bilirubin, etc. (at a physiological level) produced a current within the experimental error level. The **sensor** showed an extended working and shelf life. (Author abstract) 25 Refs.

L2 ANSWER 20 OF 21 COMPENDEX COPYRIGHT 2006 EEI on STN

ACCESSION NUMBER: 1993(33):353 COMPENDEX
 TITLE: Selectivity of conducting polymer electrodes and their application in flow injection analysis of amino acids.
 AUTHOR: Cooper, J.C. (Technische Universitat Munchen, Germany); Hammerle, M.; Schuhmann, W.; Schmidt, H.-L.
 SOURCE: Biosensors & Bioelectronics v 8 n 1 1993.p 65-74
 CODEN: BBIOE4 ISSN: 0956-5663
 PUBLICATION YEAR: 1993
 DOCUMENT TYPE: Journal
 TREATMENT CODE: Experimental; Application
 LANGUAGE: English

AN 1993(33):353 COMPENDEX

AB The size-exclusion properties of conducting **polymer** modified electrodes depend on the **polymer** morphology and thickness. By controlling the polymerization conditions, **polymer** modified electrodes can be produced that prevent access of certain small redox molecules to the electrode surface, whilst permitting oxidation of analytically relevant **hydrogen peroxide** to take place. Such **polymer** electrodes find application in amperometric **detection** of amino acids. Certain amino acids are **electroactive** and are oxidized directly on the electrode surface at the potential required for **measurements**. **Polymer** modification of the electrode enables direct amino acid oxidation, and associated electrode fouling effects, to be suppressed. The size exclusion properties of polyaniline and polypyrrole were compared by investigating oxidation of **hydrogen peroxide** and **electroactive** amino acids at such **polymer** modified electrodes. Polyaniline was found to be more effective than polypyrrole at suppressing direct amino acid oxidation. A polyaniline electrode, which permitted oxidation of **hydrogen peroxide** but prevented direct amino acid oxidation, was used together with L-amino acid oxidase immobilized on an enzyme column for **measurement** of **electroactive** amino acids. Whereas the response at a bare platinum electrode decreased significantly during the **measurement**, the response of a 700 mC cm minus 2 polyaniline electrode remained almost constant, indicating that electrode fouling was practically eliminated. (Author abstract) refs.

L2 ANSWER 21 OF 21 COMPENDEX COPYRIGHT 2006 EEI on STN

ACCESSION NUMBER: 1988(3):38805 COMPENDEX
 DOCUMENT NUMBER: 880320818
 TITLE: SEMICONDUCTIVE POLYMER FILM **SENSOR** FOR GLUCOSE.
 AUTHOR: Malmros, M.K. (Ohmicron Corp, Pennington, NJ, USA);

SOURCE: Glubinski, J.III; Gibbs, William B.Jr.
 Biosensors v 3 n 2 1987 p 71-87
 CODEN: BISSED ISSN: 0265-928X
 PUBLICATION YEAR: 1987
 DOCUMENT TYPE: Journal
 TREATMENT CODE: Application; Experimental
 LANGUAGE: English
 AN 1988(3):38805 COMPENDEX DN 880320818
 AB The electrical conductivity of organic **polymers** such as polyacetylene and its derivatives can be varied over twelve orders of magnitude with small amounts (0-3%) of various dopants, such as iodine, bromine, and perchloric acid. Semiconductive polyacetylene film doped with iodine is **sensitive to hydrogen peroxide**, and can be used as a quantitative **hydrogen peroxide sensor**. A rapid, quantitative **sensor** for glucose, using the flavoprotein glucose oxidase, is described and introduces a novel **electroactive** material, polyacetylene, as the basis for a new biosensor. A significant increase in the **sensitivity** of this device has been obtained by mediating the doping reaction through lactoperoxidase and potassium iodide. (Author abstract) 22 refs.

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L3 ANSWER 1 OF 3 CAPLUS COPYRIGHT 2006 ACS on STN
 ACCESSION NUMBER: 2005:777 CAPLUS
 DOCUMENT NUMBER: 142:68110
 TITLE: Sensor for sensing a chemical component concentration using an electroactive material
 INVENTOR(S): Centanni, Michael A.
 PATENT ASSIGNEE(S): Steris Inc., USA
 SOURCE: U.S. Pat. Appl. Publ., 9 pp.
 CODEN: USXXCO
 DOCUMENT TYPE: Patent
 LANGUAGE: English
 FAMILY ACC. NUM. COUNT: 1
 PATENT INFORMATION:

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| US 2004262170 | A1 | 20041230 | US 2003-608276 | 20030627 |
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 RW: BW, GH, GM, KE, LS, MW, MZ, NA, SD, SL, SZ, TZ, UG, ZM, ZW, AM, AZ, BY, KG, KZ, MD, RU, TJ, TM, AT, BE, BG, CH, CY, CZ, DE, DK, EE, ES, FI, FR, GB, GR, HU, IE, IT, LU, MC, NL, PL, PT, RO, SE, SI, SK, TR, BF, BJ, CF, CG, CI, CM, GA, GN, GQ, GW, ML, MR, NE, SN, TD, TG

US 2005186116 A1 20050825 US 2005-116574 20050428
 PRIORITY APPLN. INFO.: US 2003-608276 A 20030627

AB An **electroactive** material (e.g., a doped **electroactive polymer**, or an intercalated carbon/graphite fiber) responsive to the concentration of a chemical component is used to sense the concentration of the chemical component inside a chamber. The conductivity, or other elec. property of the electroactive material, varies in response to the exposure to the chemical component.

L3 ANSWER 2 OF 3 CAPLUS COPYRIGHT 2006 ACS on STN
 ACCESSION NUMBER: 1998:629721 CAPLUS
 DOCUMENT NUMBER: 129:257355
 TITLE: Gravure coating systems and magnetic particle-coated
 antibodies in electrochemical sensors
 INVENTOR(S): Cabelli, Michael D.
 PATENT ASSIGNEE(S): Ohmicron Medical Diagnostics, Inc., USA
 SOURCE: U.S., 39 pp., Cont.-in-part of U. S. Ser. 372,515,
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 CODEN: USXXAM
 DOCUMENT TYPE: Patent
 LANGUAGE: English
 FAMILY ACC. NUM. COUNT: 2
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 US 1995-372515 B2 19950113
 US 1995-488133 A 19950607
 US 1995-514765 A 19950814

AB An aspect of this invention is a continuous gravure coating process for forming a film of **electroconductive polymer** on the surface of a solid substrate. This process consists of (1) creating a solution comprising an **electroconductive polymer** dissolved in an organic solvent, (2) absorbing said solution directly onto the gravure surface of a cylinder, (3) transferring said solution from the gravure surface of the cylinder to a substrate surface, and (4) evaporating the organic solvent from the solution transferred to the substrate surface so as to leave a film of the **electroconductive polymer** on the substrate surface. An addnl. aspect of the invention involves **detecting** the presence of a specific analyte in a sample using an assay format in which magnetic components, such as magnetic particles with antibodies on their surfaces, provide an analyte-binding solid phase and the signal is generated by a dopant that changes the conductivity of an **electroconductive polymer** coating on an electrode. A related aspect of the invention is the use of a magnetic device comprised of an array of magnetic pole-pieces of high relative permeability alternating with appropriately oriented magnetic structural elements to provide a focussed magnetic field that will attract the magnetic components used in an assay to the surface of a receptacle, such as an electroconductive cell. The invention is illustrated by analyzing atrazine and using cacodylate to generate a triiodide dopant from **hydrogen peroxide**.

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